



Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the East about Native Americans

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Diocese of Jackson
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History: The Diocese of Jackson was established 1837 as the Diocese of Natchez. Prior to ca. 1800, Capuchins, Jesuits, and secular priests had evangelized Indians with missions at Biloxi, Natchez, and Yazoo, Mississippi. Holy Rosary Indian Church/Mission, Philadelphia/Tucker (Choctaw), was established in 1884.

Holding of Catholic-related records about Native Americans are unknown. However, it is known that the holdings included records from Holy Rosary Indian Church/Mission, Philadelphia/Tucker.